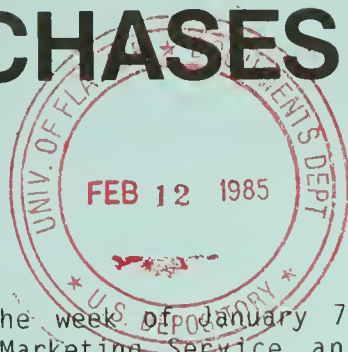


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# AMS FOOD PURCHASES



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During the week of January 7-11, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service announced 6 commodity purchases totaling 12,648,900 pounds at a cost of \$10,390,000.

The purchases were: fresh frozen cut-up chicken, bulk pack chicken, chicken thighs and drumsticks; frozen ground beef patties; pitted dried prunes and shelled english walnuts.

All purchases were for school lunch and other domestic feeding programs with the bulk going to the school lunch program.

Offers were invited for: fresh frozen cut-up chicken, bulk pack chicken, chicken thighs and drumsticks; and frozen ground beef patties.

Those needing additional information should contact the Contracting Officer, Livestock Division - telephone (202) 447-2650; Contracting Officer, Commodity Procurement Branch, Poultry Division - telephone (202) 447-7693; or Commodity Procurement Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Division - telephone (202) 447-4517, (depending upon commodity involved), AMS, USDA, Washington, D.C. 20250.

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## WEEK'S PURCHASES

## OFFERS INVITED

Commodity	Quantity <sup>1</sup> / (1,000 lbs.)	Cost <sup>1</sup> / (\$1,000)	Award range <sup>2</sup> / range	Shipping period	Bids due	Acceptance by	Shipping period
Chicken, fresh frozen cut-up	5,320 (51,794)	3,299 (31,008)	\$0.5890- 0.6470	Feb 10- 23	: Jan 18 :	Jan 24	Feb 24- Mar 9
Chicken, bulk pack	576 (4,140)	315 (2,208)	\$0.5395- 0.5525	Feb 10- 23	: Jan 18 :	Jan 24	Feb 24- Mar 9
Chicken, thighs & drumsticks	304 (3,078)	167 (1,708)	\$0.5432- 0.5563	Feb 10- 23	: Jan 18 :	Jan 24	Feb 24- Mar 9

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Commodity	Quantity <sup>1/</sup> (1,000 lbs.)	Cost <sup>1/</sup> (\$1,000)	Award range <sup>2/</sup>	Shipping period	Bids due	Acceptance by	Shipping period
Ground beef, frozen patties	2,268 (31,412)	2,459 (32,582)	\$1.0344- 1.1840	Feb 10- 16	Jan 18	Jan 25	Feb 24- Mar 2
Prunes, pitted dried	2,695	1,742	\$14.55- 15.25	Mar 1- 31		"NONE"	
English walnuts, shelled	1,486	2,408	\$44.96- 50.50	Mar 1- 31		"NONE"	

<sup>1/</sup> Upper figure is current week's purchase. Lower figure, in parentheses, is cumulative total for the ongoing purchase program. Chicken program announced July 13; frozen ground beef patty program announced July 2; and pitted dried prune and shelled english walnut program announced December 13.

<sup>2/</sup> In dollars per pound--except pitted dried prunes and shelled english walnuts--dollars per case.

# AWARDS

## FROZEN CHICKEN

### COMMOOITY A (CUT-UP)

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
CONAGRA POULTRY ENTERPRISE, AL		
HATTIESBURG, MS	38,000	0.6106
BIRMINGHAM, AL	38,000	0.6081
GOLO KIST, INC. ATLANTA, GA		
BINGHAMTON, NY	38,000	0.6326
BUFFALO, NY	76,000	0.6326
PARIS, TN	114,000	0.6168
TROTWOOD, OH	76,000	0.6221
ST. PAUL, MN	152,000	0.6300
RICHMOND, KY	38,000	0.6168
JACKSON, OH	38,000	0.6221
GAOSDEN, AL	38,000	0.6076
GREEN ACRE FARMS, INC. WALNUT GROVE, MS		
TUPELO, MS	114,000	0.5985
HARAHAN, LA	38,000	0.6015
BATON ROUGE, LA	76,000	0.6005
MILLARD, NE	152,000	0.6119
ST. LOUIS, MO	114,000	0.6060
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK	38,000	0.6170*
PHOENIX, AZ	76,000	0.6331
EUGENE, OR	38,000	0.6467
LITTLETON, NH	38,000	0.6283
PILGRIM INDUSTRIES INC. MT. PLEASANT, TX		
OENVER, CO	114,000	0.6225
LUBBOCK, TX	76,000	0.6099
LOS ANGELES, CA	38,000	0.6392*
ALBUQUERQUE, NM	76,000	0.6185

## FROZEN CHICKEN - CONTINUED

### COMMOOITY A (CUT-UP) CONTINUED

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
O. K. FOODS INC. FT. SMITH, AR		
TULSA, OK	38,000	0.6150*
FARGO, ND	76,000	0.6400*
LOS ANGELES, CA	114,000	0.6450*
SPRING VALLEY FARMS, INC. OXFORD, AL		
SACRAMENTO, CA	342,000	0.6470*
ELBERTON, GA	38,000	0.6090*
DOVER, DE	38,000	0.6220*
SAN FRANCISCO, CA	38,000	0.6465*
PECO FOODS INC. TUSCALOOSA, AL		
CANTON, OH	38,000	0.6299
MARTIN, TN	38,000	0.6199
JOHNSON CITY, TN	38,000	0.6199
TOLEDO, OH	114,000	0.6299
YOUNGSTOWN, OH	38,000	0.6299
MEMPHIS, TN	38,000	0.6189
MAR-JAC, INC. GAINESVILLE, GA		
EAU CLAIRE, WI	38,000	0.6189
BURLINGTON, NC	38,000	0.6112
GREEN BAY, WI	38,000	0.6189
JONESBORO, GA	38,000	0.6010
MORIAH KOSHER POULTRY NEW YORK, NY		
WESTBURY, NY	76,000	0.6099

NOTE: \* INDICATES NINE-PIECE CUT; ALL OTHER COMMOOITY A IS EIGHT-PIECE CUT.

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# AWARDS

## FROZEN CHICKEN - CONTINUED

### COMMOOITY A (CUT-UP) CONTINUED

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
VICTOR F. WEAVER, INC. NEW HOLLAND, PA		
ALBANY, NY	38,000	0.6139
CANTON, OH	76,000	0.6047
KOKOMO, IN	38,000	0.6034
WESTBURY, NY	38,000	0.6120
AUBURN, NY	38,000	0.6139
MARLBORO, NY	76,000	0.6139
FAYETTEVILLE, NC	38,000	0.6008
BURGAW, NC	38,000	0.6008
ROANOKE, VA	38,000	0.6028
KENBRIDGE, VA	38,000	0.6028
ATLANTA, GA	38,000	0.5890
DOORAVILLE, GA	38,000	0.5890
MACON, GA	38,000	0.5903
PORT NEWARK, NJ	76,000	0.6100
VINELAND, NJ	76,000	0.6087
LEBANON, KY	38,000	0.5982

### FIELOALE CORP.

BALWIN, GA		
CINCINNATI, OH	38,000	0.6140
CONWAY, SC	38,000	0.6190*
PORTLAND, ME	38,000	0.6380
BOSTON, MA	76,000	0.6340
BROCKTON, MA	76,000	0.6340
HICKORY, NC	38,000	0.6190*
CHARLOTTE, NC	38,000	0.6190*
MARIETTA, GA	38,000	0.6070
COLLEGE PARK, GA	38,000	0.6070
HUMMELS WHARF, PA	76,000	0.6237
ESSEX JUNCTION, VT	38,000	0.6380
CLEVELAND, GA	38,000	0.6070

### GOLDENROD BROILERS, INC.

CULLMAN, AL		
KOKOMO, IN	114,000	0.6291
MADISON, AL	38,000	0.6155
MOBILE, AL	38,000	0.6175

## FROZEN CHICKEN - CONTINUED

### COMMOOITY A (CUT-UP) CONTINUED

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
ROCCO FARM FOODS, INC. EDINBURG, VA		
BOSTON, MA	76,000	0.6425
BOMBAY, NY	38,000	0.6395
PHILADELPHIA, PA	38,000	0.6325
LANOOVER, MO	76,000	0.6290
BALTIMORE, MO	152,000	0.6290
CHOCTAW MAIO FARMS, INC. CARTHAGE, MS		
KOKOMO, IN	38,000	0.6097
GRANITE CITY, IL	76,000	0.6071
ALEXANDRIA, LA	38,000	0.6039
LITTLE ROCK, AR	76,000	0.6031
EL PASO, TX	76,000	0.6213
SAN ANTONIO, TX	76,000	0.6119
FT. WORTH, TX	38,000	0.6044
HOUSTON, TX	114,000	0.6099
AUSTIN, TX	38,000	0.6109

### COMMOOITY B (BULK PACK)

U. K. FOODS INC. FT. SMITH, AR		
FT. SMITH, AR	144,000	0.5500
SPRING VALLEY FARMS, INC. OXFORD, AL		
BERRYVILLE, AR	144,000	0.5525
ALEXANDER CITY, AL	72,000	0.5395
TYSON FOODS, INC. SPRINGDALE, AR		
BERRYVILLE, AR	216,000	0.5419

### COMMODITY C (THIGHS AND DRUMSTICKS)

TASTYBIRD FOODS RUSSELLVILLE, AR		
GRANITE CITY, IL	152,000	0.5432
CHARLESTON, WV	114,000	0.5563
MADISON, WI	38,000	0.5524

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# AWARDS

ITEM NO.	DESTINATION	NO. UNITS	PRICE PER UNIT
WALNUTS, ENGLISH, SHELLLED (30 lb.)			
ASSOCIATED NUT GROWERS VISALIA CA			
1	DENVER, CO	635	\$45.00
"	SALT LAKE CITY, UT	635	"
13	SACRAMENTO, CA	1,270	45.00
15	CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA	1,270	45.00
24	CORPUS CHRISTI, TX	635	45.00
"	MCALLEN, TX	635	"
25	LUBBOCK, TX	635	45.00
"	EL PASO, TX	635	"
38	SACRAMENTO, CA	1,270	45.00
39	CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA	1,270	45.00
TOTAL AWARDED:		8,890	RANGE: \$45.00

RYAN NUT COMPANY RED BLUFF CA			
16	CONCORD, NH	1,270	45.02
32	AUBURN, NY	1,270	44.98
33	HOLLEY, NY	1,270	44.96
TOTAL AWARDED:		3,810	RANGE: \$44.96 - 45.02

S & K INDUSTRIES, INC WINTERS CA			
14	CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA	1,270	45.00
18	GRANITE CITY, IL	1,270	49.68
TOTAL AWARDED:		2,540	RANGE: \$45.00 - 49.68

ITEM NO.	DESTINATION	NO. UNITS	PRICE PER UNIT
WALNUTS, ENGLISH, SHELLLED (30 lb.)			
DIAMOND WALNUT GROWERS, INC. STOCKTON CA			
2	FARGO, ND	635	49.60
"	SIOUX FALLS, SD	635	"
3	NEW CASTLE, DE	635	50.32
"	BALTIMORE, MD	635	"
4	WASHINGTON, DC	635	50.38
"	CHARLESTON, WV	635	"
5	MOBILE, AL	489	49.91
"	EASTMONT, AL	781	"
6	FT. LAUDERDALE, FL	635	50.50
"	MIAMI, FL	635	"
7	CLEVELAND, GA	860	50.20
"	GRIFFIN, GA	410	"
8	LEXINGTON, KY	700	50.06
"	BOWLING GREEN, KY	570	"
9	TUPELO, MS	961	50.02
"	HATTIESBURG, MS	409	"
10	SALISBURY, NC	570	50.33
"	BUTNER, NC	700	"
11	CHARLOTTE, NC	680	50.28
"	ORANGEBURG, SC	590	"
12	JOHNSON CITY, TN	635	50.13
"	COOKEVILLE, TN	635	"
17	CHEEKTOWAGANY, NY	1,270	50.15
19	GRANITE CITY, IL	1,270	49.68
20	FT. WAYNE, IN	1,270	49.84
21	LANSING, MI	1,270	49.89
22	HOLLAND, MI	1,270	49.84
23	ST. PAUL, MN	940	49.72
"	DULUTH, MN	330	"
26	ST. LOUIS, MO	635	49.74
"	MILLARD, NE	635	"
27	PORT NEWARK, NJ	1,270	50.36
28	ERIE, PA	635	50.26
"	ATOONA, PA	635	"
29	SUPERIOR, PA	970	50.13
"	PITTSBURGH, PA	300	"
30	MANASSAS, VA	800	50.34
"	CULPEPER, VA	470	"
31	JACKSONVILLE, FL	635	50.36
"	LAKE WALES, FL	635	"
34	MADISON, WI	1,270	49.68
35	N. LITTLE ROCK AR	1,270	49.60
36	SHREVEPORT, LA	1,270	49.54
37	ALBUQUERQUE, NM	1,270	48.86
TOTAL AWARDED:		34,290	RANGE: \$48.86 - 50.50

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# AWARDS

COMPANY AND SHIPPING POINT	NO. CASES	PRICE PER CASE
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PRUNES, PITTED DRIED  
(25 lb.)

SEVERO QUALITY FOODS, INC

SAN JOSE	CA	3,080	\$15.25
TOTAL AWARDED:	3,080	RANGE:	\$15.25

S & K INDUSTRIES, INC

SAN JOSE	CA	3,080	\$15.25
TOTAL AWARDED:	3,080	RANGE:	\$15.25

VALLEY VIEW PACKING CO

LICK	CA	15,400	\$15.25
TOTAL AWARDED:	15,400	RANGE:	\$15.25

STAPLETON-SPENCE PACKING CO

SAN JOSE	CA	3,080	\$14.75
		3,080	\$15.00
		3,080	\$15.25
TOTAL AWARDED:	9,240	RANGE:	\$14.75 - 15.25

MARIANI PACKING CO.

SAN JOSE	CA	15,400	\$15.25
TOTAL AWARDED:	15,400	RANGE:	\$15.25

DEL MONTE CORP

SAN JOSE	CA	61,600	\$14.55
TOTAL AWARDED:	61,600	RANGE:	\$14.55

FROZEN GROUND BEEF PATTIES

COMPANY/PROCESSING POINT & F.O.B. OESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
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MAX BAUER MEAT PKR., INC.

MIAMI, FL		
BARCELONETA, PR	415,800	1.1840
TOTAL AWARDED -	415,800 LBS.	

GOLOBERGER, INC.

MINNEAPOLIS, MN		
DULUTH, MN	151,200	1.0600
HOPKINS, MN	75,600	1.0550
ST. PAUL, MN	189,000	1.0550
GREEN BAY, WI	37,800	1.0640
MILWAUKEE, WI	37,800	1.0640
TOTAL AWARDED -	491,400 LBS.	

MORCO, INC.

PLAINWELL, MI		
ALTOONA, PA	75,600	1.0600
CHAPMAN, PA	75,600	1.0600
PHILADELPHIA, PA	37,800	1.0700
PROVIDENCE, RI	37,800	1.0750
TOTAL AWARDED -	226,800 LBS.	

SUPREME BEEF PROC.

OALLAS, TX		
DENVER, CO	113,400	1.0525
EAST HARTFORD, CT	151,200	1.0799
LEESBURG, FL	37,800	1.0666
ALBUQUERQUE, NM	75,600	1.0513
FAYETTEVILLE, NC	37,800	1.0656
N. WILKESBORO, NC	37,800	1.0641
RALEIGH, NC	37,800	1.0677
WINSTON-SALEM, NC	37,800	1.0662
ERIE, PA	37,800	1.0710
NORTH STRABANE, PA	139,000	1.0666
YORK, PA	75,600	1.0715
MEMPHIS, TN	113,400	1.0344
TOTAL AWARDED -	945,000 LBS.	


TOP LINE PACKING CO.

GRAND RAPIDS, MI		
RAMA, NC	75,600	1.0670
PROVIDENCE, RI	37,800	1.0785
TOTAL AWARDED -	113,400 LBS.	

ROCHESTER MEATS, INC.

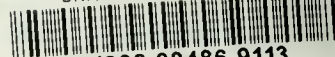
ROCHESTER, MN		
DULUTH, MN	37,800	1.0590
EAO CLAIRE, WI	37,800	1.0544
TOTAL AWARDED -	75,600 LBS.	





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